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- Description of NPS Program resources available for monitoring.
- Encourage subsequent "brainstorming" of potential projects.

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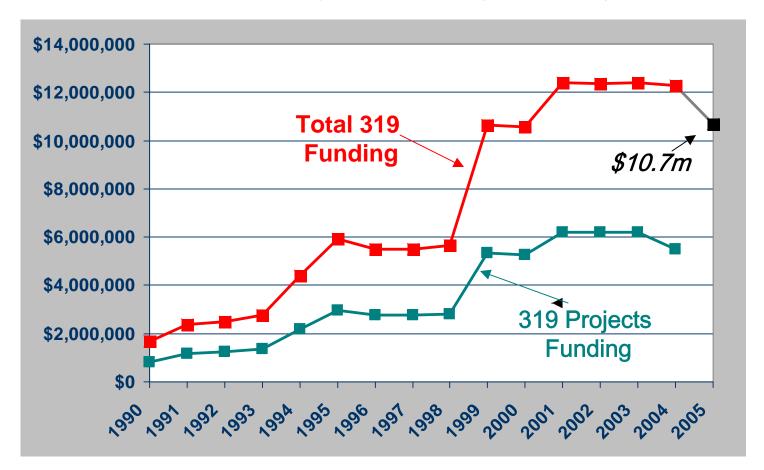
NPS Program Requirements

- CWA Section 319 Priorities
 - Environmental Results (On-the-Ground)
 - Restore Impaired Water Bodies
 - Focus on Watersheds w/Sufficient Planning
 - TMDLs & Watershed-Based Plans (20% for Planning)
 - Improve Monitoring & Tracking
 - Need to Document Results (OMB/Congressional Reviews)
 - Load Reductions
 - Extent of MM Implemetnation
 - Water quality status and trends
 - Farm Bill Coordination
 - e.g., 319 for monitoring/coordination/EQIP for BMPs



California CWA Section 319 Funding

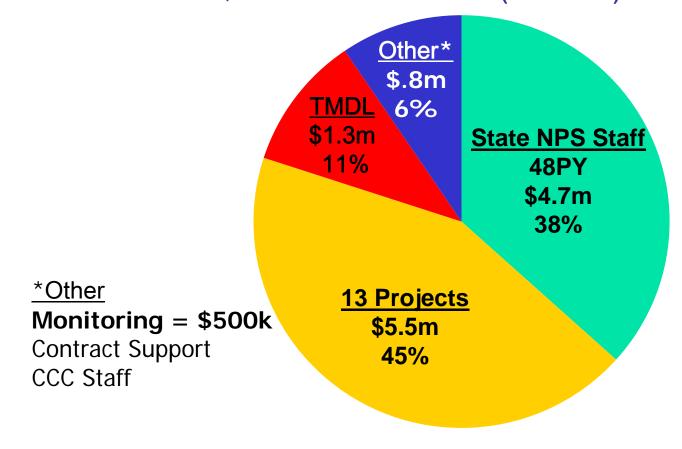
Total 319 Funds vs. Project 319 Funds(1990–2004)



California CWA Section 319 Funding continued



\$12.3m = Total Statewide (FFY 2004)





Format for Informal Proposals

- Email the following to <u>ziegler.sam@epa.gov</u>
 - Project Title: {descriptive title}
 - Project Description: {brief description not to exceed several sentences}
 - Proposed Recipient/Lead: {identify potential organization}
 - Proposed Cost/Budget: {overall amount}
 - Relation to NPS Monitoring Questions: {brief description not to exceed a few sentences}
 - Your Name/Number/email: {if this needs explanation, do not proceed}



- Project Title: Monitoring Technical Assistance for State/Federally Supported NPS Implementation Projects
- Project Description: The SWRCB is providing State and Federal funds to projects to implement NPS pollution control activities. Many of these projects will include monitoring activities. We want to maximize the value of the monitoring conducted by these projects. This project would prepare gyuidance and conduct training for project recipients to design and conduct monitoring to produce data that will further answer the NPS questions and be consistent with SWAMP.
- Proposed Recipient/Lead: SFEI
- Proposed Cost/Budget: \$50,000 first year
- \$30,000/year therafter
- Relation to NPS Monitoring Questions: Technical assistance provided to projects will help ensure that data collected is useful in helping to answer some of the NPS monitoring questions.
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